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A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Jeffrey H. Griggs to the Tennessee wildlife resources commission.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-1-201, provides for the creation of the Tennessee wildlife resources commission; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-1-201, further provides that the governor shall appoint nine members to that commission; and

WHEREAS, Governor Phil Bredesen has recently appointed Mr. Jeffrey H. Griggs of Lexington, Tennessee, to serve on the Tennessee wildlife resources commission; and

WHEREAS, Jeffrey H. Griggs will represent District 7 in West Tennessee during a term that will expire on February 28, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Griggs is a lifelong resident of West Tennessee and serves as the maintenance supervisor of the Beech River Watershed Development Authority; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Griggs served as vice president and general manager of Griggs Big Star, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Griggs has contributed to the Henderson County Chamber of
Commerce and Tourism Association of Southwest Tennessee as a member of their boards of
directors and served as president of the Lexington Rotary Club and was honored as Rotarian of
the Year; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Griggs co-chairs Andrea Walks for Tennessee's Children in Henderson County, serves on the governing board of the Exchange Club Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse and serves his community as a volunteer fireman; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Griggs's experience and dedication to wildlife and conservation issues would be a tremendous asset to the Tennessee wildlife resources commission; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-1-201(b)(1), provides that each member appointed to the Tennessee wildlife resources commission by the governor shall be confirmed by the House Conservation and Environment Committee and the Senate Environment, Conservation and Tourism Committee and by joint resolution of the General Assembly prior to the beginning of his or her term of office; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby confirm the appointment of Mr. Jeffrey H. Griggs of Lexington, Tennessee, to a six (6) year term on the Tennessee wildlife resources commission, such term to expire on February 28, 2015.

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